

HOPE—Cable trading center of the Midwest. Estimated business volume of \$1,000,000 in 1930. Income of \$2,000,000 from truck crops.

Hope



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Arkansas—Partly cloudy Thursday night and Friday.

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FISTIC BATTLE IS AVERTED

Emergency Drive Closes Here With Total of \$1,139

An Additional \$150 Raised From Sale of Will Rogers' Tickets

BASKET WORKS \$72

The Employees Subscribe \$36.15, and Company Matches Total Gift

The Red Cross-United Charities emergency drive for \$1,000 closed Thursday with a final total of \$1,139.25—a 100-per-cent subscription by the employees of the Hope Basket company, equalled by a company gift for the same amount, putting the total up to the best expectations of the emergency drive committee.

Employees of the basket company subscribed \$36.15, and the company gave its check for the same amount, making a total subscription from this one organization of \$72.30. Manager G. J. McGregor reported Thursday.

The deposit records and items still in course of collection were turned over Thursday by Alex. H. Washburn, emergency drive chairman, to D. B. Thompson, chairman of the Hempstead county chapter of the Red Cross. The emergency committee had \$1,082.25 in cash, and \$131.00 in guaranteed pledges.

This is exclusive of \$150 raised by B. R. Hamm and his committee handling the local sale of tickets for the Will Rogers benefit vaudeville at Texarkana February 12. Mr. Hamm, who has received a check for this amount from the Texarkana committee, has been instructed to place the money in a separate fund. It was Mr. Rogers' desire that the money be used only to pay for labor on useful public enterprises, such as beautifying the streets or highways—providing paid labor for unemployed workers, rather than direct charity.

Credit for the successful city-wide canvass goes to the five teams which made a personal appeal to the city last week, and to the factory and store employees and managers whose personal donations oversubscribed the goal by \$139.25. There were nearly 60 firms and factories whose managers and employees subscribed 100 per cent.

The committee organization which put the drive over was as follows:

1. Robert Wilson and L. Carter Johnson.
2. J. K. Sale and Cecil Weaver.
3. M. M. Smyth and C. C. Spragins.
4. John P. Cox and Bob Hugenin.
5. George W. Ware.

Final Gift List

Previously acknowledged	\$1,064.95
Hope Basket Co.	36.15
Hope Basket Co. Employees, 100 Per Cent—	
J. W. Parsons	1.00
Emmet Whitten	1.00
F. B. Ward	.50
Arbiel Calhoun	.50
Lucetti Boswell	.25
D. C. Green	.50
Leona Jones	.50
Thelma Watson	.50
Hazel Duckett	.25
Guy Keen	.50
Jack Dodson	.50
Richard Caudle	.50
Shed Mayo	.50
Dick Merritt	.50
Jim Roberts	.50
Harry Keith	.50
Edward Caudle	.25
D. A. Bowden	.50
Joe Watson	.25
Grady Beard	1.00
C. Keith	.50
J. E. Smith	.50
Robert Mayton	.50
Joe Mayo	.50
W. D. Keen	.50
Smith Vaughn	.50
A. Z. Coates	.25
Erbin Martin	.25
Hugh West	.25
Earl Bowden	.25
Kenneth Parsons	.25
Lewis Prather	.50
Henry Taylor	1.00
E. R. Moxley	.25
Roy Mouser	.25
Joe Johnson	.25
Joe Moody	.25
Arthur Clayton	.50
C. B. Roberts	.25
Jewell Fuller	.25
Garfield Hatten	.25
Oscar Mayton	.25
Jim Cannon	.25
Tom Duckett	.25
Edith Sander	.25
Doyne Bruce	.40
Emmet Keen	.25
Bernice Moxley	.25
Erma Moxley	.25
Myrtle Rogers	.25
John Lawrence	.50
C. H. Payton	.50
Bennie Watson	.25
Anne Martindale	1.00
Jeff Gilkey	.25
Henry Marshall	.25
Bill Woods	.25
A. Carter	.25
TOTAL	\$1,139.25

Name Girl Head Of Bandit Gang



When six youths were arrested at Birmingham, Ala., charged with a series of robberies, they named Helen Brumbach, above, 20-year-old daughter of a police officer and former Birmingham co-ed, as the head of the gang. Miss Brumbach denied the charge.

Assessor to Leave Hope February 28

Tax Collector and Assessor to Be in Washington After This Date

The county tax collector and his deputies and the tax assessor will only be in Hope a short time longer. They leave the city hall, where they have been established offices for the convenience of the public on February 28, after this time they will be located at the court house in Washington.

Both Sheriff Wilson and Assessor John W. Ridgill are anxious that as many as possible take advantage of the next week in paying and assessing their taxes. All who come are urged to bring their last year's receipts or land numbers.

P. T. A. Program Is Arranged Friday

Founder's Day Will Be Observed at Junior High School at 2:45 p. m.

Founder's Day will be observed by the local Parent-Teacher association at Junior High school auditorium at 2:45 o'clock Friday afternoon. An interesting program has been arranged by the P. T. A. council, the feature of which is to be an address by the state president of the Arkansas congress of P. T. A., Mrs. J. D. Reagan, of Little Rock.

There will also be a short pageant "The Oracle Speaks" staged by six girls under the direction of Miss Mabel Elbridge; and two choruses numbers by the Mothersingers under direction of Mrs. John Wellborn.

All P. T. A.'s in the county have been asked to send representatives to the meeting Friday, and friends of P. T. A. work are cordially invited.

Ernest Robison Here on Trip From Albany

Ernest Robison, brother of George W. Robison and other local men and women, arrived here Wednesday from his home in Albany, N. Y., to visit the grave of his father, the late W. H. Robison, who was buried Tuesday.

Mr. Robison is supervisor of dining room service on the New York Central Lines, with headquarters at Albany. He expected to return home Thursday night after a two-day visit with relatives here.

City Has \$19,000 Invested in Huge Local Wood-Pile

Ralph Routon Reviews for Kiwanis 8 Years of Municipal Power Plant

\$300,000 SAVED UP

Plant Entirely Rebuilt Last 8 Years—Free Public Electric Service

The biggest wood-pile in the world stands on the north corporation line of Hope as concrete evidence of a community's attempt to help people help themselves through a hard winter.

It was bought and paid for—this wood-pile by the municipal power and water plant of Hope, which has distributed to local farmers since September 1 between \$18,000 and \$19,000 for fuel that will furnish the power-plant boilers for many a long month to come.

The power-plant, which up to the summer of 1923 had annually spent about \$30,000 with local farmers for wood fuel, and in that year went to gas-burners, returned to wood fuel last fall as an emergency measure for Hempstead county rural families.

The story of this extraordinary experiment was told Thursday noon at the Kiwanis luncheon in Hotel Barlow by Ralph Routon, member of the A. W. & Light Board, president of the Hope Chamber of Commerce, and a member of the Red Cross executive board for Hempstead county.

Mr. Routon said that the first wood bought by the local plant last fall came in from 25 miles around, as the plant's announcement was heralded among the farmers surrounding Hope. The plant finally refused wood that was brought by truck, or from too great a distance.

The original restriction of five cords per week from each family, was reduced, under the pressure of so many families needing a livelihood, to one cord per family per week.

An average of 500 families per week have been offering their allotted weekly cord of wood for cash at the wood-yard in recent weeks, Mr. Routon said. They have filled up the original wood-pile, and part of an adjoining property.

The power plant will have to discontinue further purchases in a few days, Mr. Routon said, owing to the tremendous supply of wood already accumulated, and the amount of money invested in it by the city.

Mr. Routon reviewed his eight years as a member of the city council, from which he retires this spring. He said that the only original equipment of eight years ago now in use at the municipal power plant are three boilers, and that the plant has bought and paid for a total of \$300,000 in machinery and free service, and cash or materials in hand.

He itemized \$179,525 worth of machinery bought by the power board in the last eight years to replace worn out equipment. Free service to the city, including construction of the White Way system, purchase of wood, cash in hand, and other public service ordinarily charged for, amounted to \$100,757.

Last year the plant sold \$88,000 worth of electricity and water. But it handled \$102,000 worth of these products. Free service performed for the schools, parks and public streets totaled \$13,900 during the year.

The present reduced rate of 10 cents per kWh, Mr. Routon said, is the lowest net rate to be found, considering the service charges of private power plants, and the cost to the city for street-lighting and light and water to schools and parks.

Thompson, on Red Cross Another interesting report by Mr. Routon was that of D. B. Thompson, chairman of the Hempstead county chapter of the Red Cross. Mr. Thompson (Continued On Page Six)

Kahn-Ubial Bliss!



Hannah Williams doesn't seem unhappy at having given up her stage career for a partial one with Roger Wolfe Kahn. Banker Otto H. Kahn's first picture together on their honeymoon at Miami Beach, Fla. They had been married for two weeks before Miss Williams' resignation from the cast of a Broadway show revealed their secret.

W. J. Moss, 79, Dies at Shover Springs

One of County's Oldest Masons—Funeral Planned Friday Afternoon

William Jasper Moss, 79, one of the oldest Masons in Hempstead county, died at 5:20 o'clock Wednesday afternoon following an illness of several months, at his home in the Shover Springs community.

Mr. Moss had been a Mason for 50 years. He was born October 25, 1851, at Munfordville, Hart county, Kentucky. In 1879 he married Lenora Alice Woodward and settled in Missouri, removing to Arkansas in 1911.

He is survived by four sons and three daughters: Willie, of Sioux City, Iowa; Arthur, of Hope; Oliver and Charles, of Kansas City, Mo.; and Mrs. Terrissa Jones, Mrs. Myrtle Born, both of Kansas City; and Mrs. Mary Lewis, of Hope.

Funeral services for Mr. Moss are to be held Friday afternoon, with the Masons in charge. Burial is to be at Shover Springs cemetery.

Autos Collide, 2 Women Injured

Both in Serious Condition Following Accident at Jonesboro

JONESBORO, Ark., Miss Mattie Shreeves, aged 25, and Miss Kathleen Pickett, 18, were injured seriously and two others were hurt slightly here Wednesday when an automobile driven by Victor Shreeves, brother in law of Mrs. Shreeves, collided with another automobile on Main street. The driver of the other car was not learned.

Mrs. Shreeves suffered a broken pelvis and internal injuries and Miss Pickett received a probable skull fracture and internal injuries. Both were still unconscious at midnight. Patricia and Helen Burns who also were in the

Killer of Husband Released on \$2,000 Bond at England

Woman Admits Striking Husband With Axe as He Sleeps

THREATENED FAMILY

Telegram From Former Home Describes Man As Dangerous

ENGLAND. —(AP)—Because her three children needed care, Mrs. Verda Walker, 28, who Wednesday afternoon killed her husband, Leness Walker, 46, with an axe was released Thursday under \$2,000 bond approved by circuit judge W. J. Waggoner at London.

The youngest of the children is six months old and the oldest four years. These two children spent the night with her in jail after she had walked bare footed for a mile, after the killing to surrender.

Chief of Police Wayne Thursday received a telegram from Atkins, Arkansas where the Walkers formerly lived signed by a deputy sheriff and others describing Walker as a dangerous man and "We are all for Mrs. Walker."

ENGLAND, Ark. —(AP)—Mrs. Verda Walker, 28, surrendered to officers here late Wednesday and told them she had killed her husband, Leness Walker, 46, with an axe as he slept at their farm home 10 miles from here.

Mrs. Walker, the mother of three children and stepmother of two, was quoted by officers as saying she struck her husband three times with the axe and almost severed his head from his body.

Police Chief C. W. Whayne said the woman told him Walker had repeatedly threatened her life and the lives of her children. Only Tuesday night, she was quoted as saying, Walker took a razor to bed with him and threatened to kill her. Her entreaties saved her life, she said.

An inquest was to be held. Mrs. Walker said her husband lay down for a nap Wednesday afternoon and as soon as he was asleep she struck him with the axe.

Then she started walking the 10 miles to England and had gone a short way when she was picked up by a neighbor in an automobile.

She surrendered to Chief Whayne and was held in jail pending the inquest.

Two years ago, she was quoted as saying, he cut her with his razor and threatened to kill her if she told anyone.

John W. Davis to Represent Senate

Attorney to Determine the President's Power Over Appointments Selected

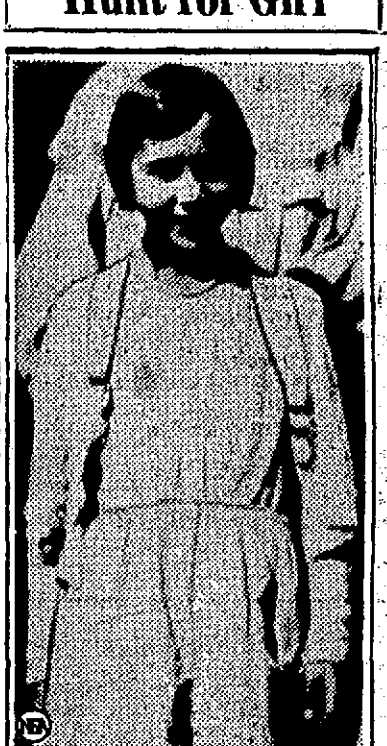
WASHINGTON. —(AP)—The Senate will be represented by John W. Davis, Democrat presidential candidate in 1924, in its court contest with President Hoover over the right of Chairman Smith of the power commission to his office.

Davis will come to Washington in a few days to open the unprecedented legal proceedings.

Selection of Davis assures a spectacular court test with the former presidential candidate on one side and possibly Attorney General Mitchell on the other. Final decision probably will be rendered by the Supreme Court.

Davis was chosen by a subcommittee of the Senate Judiciary Committee composed of Senators Norris, Republican, Nebraska; Walsh, Democrat, Montana and Steiwer, Republican, Oregon. Walsh the leader of the Senate's contest with the president, announced the selection of Davis and his acceptance.

Offer \$2000 in Hunt for Girl



Rewards of \$2000 spurred on searching parties near San Diego, Calif., in their hunt for 10-year-old Virginia Brooks, above, missing from her home for more than a week. Police hunted a man said to have been seen with her the evening she disappeared, a kidnapping being suspected.

Bulletins

WASHINGTON. —(AP)—In beginning consideration of the veterans' bill, the Senate was urged by Senator Cawthon and Harrison for quick action in getting the measure to the president whose veto is regarded as certain.

WASHINGTON. —(AP)—Criticism of the Red Cross for "refusing to pay costs" of transporting several trainloads of food from the Northwest to the Arkansas drought sufferers was made in the Senate by Senator Dill, Democrat, who said the railroad should not dead head any more food and the Red Cross would not pay expenses of transportation, thus causing a holdup in food shipments.

Emory Davis, Pilot, Is Killed In Crash

Carl Nelson, Co-Pilot of Davis, Injured Early Thursday

ROOSEVELT FIELD, New York. —(AP)—Emory Davis, owner and inventor of the world's mystery plane, took his ship into the open Thursday for the first time and was killed when it crashed.

Carl Nelson, co-pilot of Davis, was injured severely when the ship crashed.

The tandem monoplane, with an odd shaped fuselage and front and rear wheels of equal length was being towed by an automobile when it nose dived.

Davis had been experimenting in a hangar, which he always kept locked and worked behind curtained windows to keep out the peeping public.

Field officials estimated that during the past two years he has spent \$100,000 on the ship which caused his death.

Little is known about the past life of Davis. He has worked practically to himself since coming here and had few intimate acquaintances.

Air Mail Service To Begin April 1

Little Rock Route Included in Postoffice Deficiency Bill

WASHINGTON—Little Rock will be served daily by air mail beginning April 1, under plans announced by Assistant Postmaster General Glover in hearings before the Appropriations Committee on the second deficiency bill introduced in the house Wednesday.

An item of \$27,669 for extending the Cleveland-Louisville route to Nashville, beginning March 1, is included in the bill. Mr. Glover said that the Postoffice Department plans to extend the route to Dallas and Fort Worth by April 1.

Operation of the route, by way of Little Rock, has been delayed for several months while the Postoffice Department awaited a ruling as to whether it could extend an existing air mail line without inviting competitive bids.

Reapportionment Bill Draws Sharp Debate in House

Author and Another Member Engage in Heated Argument

MEASURE IS TABLED

Provided For Reduction of Memberships in Lower House

LITTLE ROCK. —(AP)—A fistic encounter between two house members was averted Thursday by the sergeant at arms, during a heated debate over the reapportionment bill by Representative Wilson, of Clark county.

Representative Wade of Logan county was advancing toward Wilson when the sergeant rushed between them.

A bill providing for a reduction in house membership from one hundred to eighty was tabled along with the amendment by Representative Wilson.

Wilson's amendment would have given Pulaski county three representatives, and Sebastian, Jefferson and Mississippi counties two each.

Representative moved to table the amendment, declaring that it would give cities a greater representation. Wilson thereupon attacked the motion by Representative Wade, saying among other things "some members can not sleep without braying like jackasses." Wade then started toward him, ready for a fight.

Representative Sellers of Conway moved to table the bill and amendment, which was done by a vote of 40 to 21.

A. & P. Grocery Co. Opens New Store

Red Front Store Opened Thursday—Announcement to Be Friday

The first Arkansas store of the Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., opened Thursday morning on South Main street, this city.

A. & P.'s famous red front appeared on the remodeled store building last week, and fixtures and stock were installed the forepart of this week.

Formal announcement of the opening is contained in an advertisement to be published in tomorrow's Star. It will contain the money-back guarantee on which the A. & P. grocery house was founded nearly 30 years ago, and which has built it up to 24,000 individual stores today.

G. A. Hobbs, native of DeQueen, and formerly with the Texarkana, (Texas) stores, is manager of the new Hope unit. Associated with him are E. S. Whitlow, market manager, and Dewey Baber, checker.

Men from the Texarkana, (Texas) stores came over Wednesday night to rush the arrangement of stock to completion and permit actual opening of the store Thursday.

District representatives of the A. & P. company also are in the city for the first few opening days. They are, W. A. Evans of Dallas, district superintendent; and W. J. Black, of Texarkana, Texas, assistant superintendent.

Hope Citizen Dies Early Thursday

Geo. Casey Among First Settlers of City; Funeral Here

George Casey, aged 86, died in a Little Rock hospital Thursday morning according to a message received by relatives here.

Mr. Casey came to Hope many years ago. He is said to have lived in one house here for 55 years. His wife Mrs. Annie Boyd Casey was buried here Tuesday morning.

He is survived by two sons, Kemp and G. P. Casey, and one granddaughter, Miss Merlow Casey, all of Hope. Funeral services and burial will be conducted here Friday afternoon.

Impatient Cupid Snips Knot in Court's Red Tape

OWENSBORO, Ky. —(AP)—Cupid won a lively skirmish in the Owensboro court room when Mrs. Anna Belle Kirk, 34, and John Speed, 35, applied for a marriage license.

Mrs. Kirk had been granted a divorce the same day, but the decree had not yet been entered upon the court minute books. The license clerk could not issue the license.

County Judge James Wilson, moved by the couple's predicament, asked Circuit Judge George Wilson to have the decree entered immediately. This was done and the marriage was

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The Star's Platform

CITY

Apply the revenues of the municipal power plant to develop the industrial and social resources of Hope.

Move city pavement in 1931, and improved sanitary conditions in the alleys and business back-yards.

Support the Chamber of Commerce.

COUNTY

A county highway program providing for the construction of a certain amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce the dirt-road mileage.

Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county's great majority.

Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operative effort is as practical in the country as it is in town.

STATE

Continued progress on the state highway program.

Feasible tax reform, and a more efficient government through the budget system of expenditures.

Free Arkansas from the cattle tick.

Power Lobby or School Gang?

THE biggest piece of political impudence that has been pulled off in the Arkansas legislature in many years occurred Wednesday when Representative Thorn, defending his bill to tax electric current 8 per cent for additional revenue for schools said:

"This is a question of the big interests against the school children of Arkansas. I have seen the most vicious lobby here against this bill, and I see no lobby maintained by the school children. If the children have no friends in this house, then it will mean that 80 per cent of the schools will close their doors next September because they can't pay the bonds."

The day before yesterday, we wrote our editorial "The Tax Juggernaut Rolls On." We pointed out that there is a good chance that the legislature will make gasoline consumers pay 6 cents a gallon instead of 5; on cigarettes 5 cents instead of 4; on insurance of all kinds 3 per cent instead of 2; and a new 8 per cent tax on electricity.

After a while the only thing left actually free in Arkansas will be God's own sweet sunshine—and if the legislature keeps on it will cast a cloud over that.

And now Mr. Thorn is telling the lower house that a power lobby is thwarting his tax bill. Harvey Couch and the Arkansas Power & Light Co. will be responsible for turning the school children out of house and home. Well, strange as it seems, the municipal power plants except those in college towns are right up there with Mr. Couch in attempting to beat Mr. Thorn's bill—and here's a great big cheer for them.

Nobody ever paid any commodity tax anywhere except the ultimate consumer. The private power companies are fighting the bill because it will cut down the expansion of their business; the municipal plants are fighting it because it means a drastic hike in the light rate for every home in town.

Mr. Thorn hollers about a lobby! If that lobby actually held all the people that would like to be there, it would be a coliseum!

Only one thing matters: The 1931 legislature went to Little Rock pledged not to raise existing taxes or vote new ones. It is proposed to do both. The people will hold individual members of the house and senate responsible for their ballots on tax-increase measures.

This is an emergency. The legislature knows that as well as the people back home. If the Red Cross has to give our state food, then the least the legislature can do is to keep taxes where they are.

The school gang is raising plenty of noise—but before this session is over they are going to learn that what folks have to have, and what they can do with, are two different things. Arkansas business houses, Arkansas citizens generally, are making the shoe pinch this year—and the state government is no better than the least of its citizens.

Learn By Experience

DON MARQUIS, noted newspaper columnist, upon going abroad conceived the idea of setting aside a hundred dollars to spend in learning how smoking-room card-sharps operated aboard ship, says the Imperial Type Metal magazine. Marquis had always been curious about card-sharps. The first evening he strolled into the smoking-room. Sure enough he was asked to play. Upon his eager acceptance the stranger went away and came back with two others and they sat down.

At the end of the evening Marquis was sixteen dollars ahead, having played at half a cent. This was all true to form. The next night he was thirty-one, the third night twenty-eight.

He watched slyly, and on the last evening was delighted to hear the man who had organized the game suggest that, it being the last night, they raise the stakes a little. "How about a cent and a half?"

"Sure," said Marquis eagerly. Now he would see the dirty work. At the end of the evening, however, he had won seventy-six dollars more.

The next day Mr. Marquis saw a lady nudge a companion and nod toward him as they drew into Cherbourg. "That," she whispered, "is the card sharp who cleaned Wallace out of eighty-three dollars."

Spain must find it difficult to recognize the college students striking against the government. They wear no coon-skin coats there.

Statisticians advance the information that there is a divorce in Chicago every hour. Evidently marriage is anything but a breeze in the windy city.

Mr. Hoover says Lincoln was a great party man. May be so, but he wouldn't have cared to get in on some of the

Do We Want Just the Usual Remedy-Or a Permanent Cure This Time?



Daily WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

NEA Service Writer

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WASHINGTON.—Ever since the Revolutionary War, and even before, this country has rewarded with pensions of money or grants of public land the men who have carried its flag on the field of battle.

Decades before the revolution, the Colonies pensioned disabled veterans of Indian wars. In 1818, after previous laws had rewarded veterans with service-connected disabilities, an act was passed to pension all survivors of the Revolution.

It was George Washington, himself, who had received a grant of land for his service in the French and Indian wars, who successfully urged Congress to reward with land the veterans of 1776. The same principle was followed for many decades and even to some extent after the Civil War. Abraham Lincoln applied for and received a grant after he had served in the Black Hawk War.

Varying in form, but not in principle, or purpose, there have followed money pensions to veterans of the Civil War and Spanish-American War, and rewards of "adjusted compensation"—or "the soldier bonus," as it is best known—to veterans of the World War. Throughout history, politicians have always used pension bills to curry favor.

These "adjusted compensation" certificates are, in reality, the government's I. O. U.'s to pay each holder a certain amount in 1945. The average face value is about \$1000 per man. They also carry a cash value which, at present, is about 52 per cent of the face value, and a loan value which is now about 22 1-2 per cent.

Such is the background of one of the major issues of the present session into which Congress has suddenly been plunged. This is the movement to have the government pay this money to the

veterans now, instead of waiting until 1945.

It is backed by certain leaders in the American Legion who contend that distressed and unemployed veterans need the cash immediately, and that putting such a large amount of money into circulation would greatly aid business. It is opposed by Secretary Mellon and leading bankers who see therein the necessity for a huge government bond issue, a shattered market for all securities and a resultant business depression far worse than any yet known.

Supporters of the plan, varying only in detail, have put forward the following proposals:

CONGRESSMAN WRIGHT PATMAN of Texas: To pay the full face value to each veteran now. There are about 3,500,000 certificates of average value of \$1000 each, meaning that to do this \$3,500,000,000 would be required. At present, the sinking fund for this purpose totals only \$625,000,000, meaning that the rest would have to come from a bond issue.

CONGRESSMAN JACK GARNER of Texas, the Democratic leader: To pay immediately the present cash value of the certificates. The cash value is computed at about 52 per cent of the face value, or a total of about \$1,700,000,000.

OTHER PROPOSALS are to increase the loan value, on which holders may borrow. The present loan value is about 22 1-2 per cent of the face value. Strongly advocated is a plan to increase the loan value to 50 per cent.

In the background of this congressional fight is the fact that the United States has never committed itself to a policy of paying cash bonuses to its ex-soldiers.

It used to give land grants to veterans and in the wake of its wars it has always pensioned them sooner or later, first for injuries arising during their service and subsequently for all types of disability.

school a few days ago.

Elmer Nichols made a business trip to Spring Hill Saturday morning.

Mrs. Montez Matthews of El Dorado spent Saturday with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Walker Wiggins.

A large crowd attended the "Tacky party" given by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Betts Saturday night and everyone reported a nice time. The tacky prize winners were Doyle Arnold, first and Otis Williams second for the boys and Miss Mildred Lewis first for the girls and Miss Della Mae Betts, second.

Mrs. Ola Burns and children, Lois and Marie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Brummett.

Mrs. Lula Deviney is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. G. W. Brummett.

Misses Helen Bright and Bettie Lou Evans spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walker Wiggins and attended the party at Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Betts.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Galloway visited friends and relatives at Providence Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nichols visited friends and relatives at Patmos Sunday.

Mr. Ross Bright of Hope called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson Sunday afternoon.

Miss Jessie Mae Wright spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Lois Burns who was at the home of Mrs. G. W. Brummett.

Mr. Lester Crabb of Spring Hill attended Sunday School and Prayer meeting at this place Sunday morning and night.

Rev. Jim Ward will preach at this place next Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Everybody is invited to come.

She Nursed the Prince of Wales



Take it from Mrs. Dorothy Cronk of Salt Lake City, Utah—and she ought to know because she rocked him to sleep when he was a baby—"the Prince of Wales, as a child, had the same winning personality then as he has now." Mrs. Cronk, who was wardrobe mistress for Queen Victoria at Buckingham Palace and who came to America 23 years ago, is shown above in her latest photo with a babyhood picture of Wales.

BATTLE FIELD

Misses Roxie and Hazel Watkins of Spring Hill spent last Wednesday night with Mrs. Ben Wilson.

Rev. Bearden filled his regular appointment here last Sunday.

Quite a number of parents attended the P. T. A. at Spring Hill last Thursday afternoon.

M. and Mrs. John Morgan of Evening Shade spent Saturday night with Ed Turner and family.

Mrs. J. H. Morton helped to serve the hot lunches to the school children at Spring Hill Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Tarpley and children spent last Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilson.

Mr. J. A. Smith and Mr. Ed Turner made a business trip to Hope Tuesday.

Mrs. M. E. Atkins, Mrs. Ben Wilson, and little daughter, Dorothy June called on Mrs. Jennie Atkins Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Earl Poole, from De Ann is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Ralph Roberts.

Mr. Ralph Roberts and Jennie Atkins have recently exchanged homes, both moving the same day. We wish for them much success in their new homes.

Amos Beard has returned from Snackover after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Hansel Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Rogers and Mrs. Hansel Rogers and little daughter, from Snackover, spent a few hours last Friday with Mrs. Cleve Foster and Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Beard.

Miss Lily Johnson and Mrs. Bob Bush from near Spring Hill called on Mrs. Clara Roe last Wednesday.

Mrs. Lon Ellenburg returned to her home at Snackover after a few weeks

visit with her grandmother Roe, last Wednesday.

MELROSE

Mrs. Chism is better at this writing. Mr. Lauterback is doing nicely after undergoing an operation for his eyes Tuesday afternoon at the Julia Chester hospital.

Miss Lillian Caudle spent Tuesday night with Miss Nettie Chism.

The party at Mr. and Mrs. Logans was enjoyed by a nice crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arnold of Hope spent the week end with his parents of this place.

Little Denis Frontz of Bright Star spent Tuesday with A. L. Caudle.

Mrs. Mattie Lauterback was shopping in Hope Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Mullins spent Wednesday of last week with his mother, Mrs. Mullins, of Oak Grove.

Miss Trudie and Callie Caudle of Bodeav spent Sunday with Mrs. A. L. Caudle and children.

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And strength in your inmost needs:
Have faith, and a score of hearts will show
Their faith in your work and deeds.

Give truth, and your gifts will be paid in kind,
And a song will meet;
And a smile which is sweet will surely find
A smile that is just as sweet.

Give pity and sorrow to those who mourn,
You will gather in flowers again
The scattered seeds from your thought outborne
Tho the sewing seemed in vain.

Life is the mirror of king and dove,
As just what we are and do;
Then give to the world the best you have
And the best will come back to you.
—Selected.

A. G. Phillips, of Idabel, Okla., spent Wednesday visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Phillips.

The Everyman's Bible Class of the First Christian Sunday School will entertain at a supper Friday evening at 7 o'clock at the home of Mr. J. A. Sullivan on N. Main st. All members of the class are cordially invited to be present.

Mrs. Luke Monroe and L. Smith of Washington were shopping in the city yesterday.

C. B. Tyler left this morning on a business trip to Little Rock.

Mrs. R. L. Gosnell has issued invitations for Friday afternoon at her home on E. 2nd St.

Mrs. R. B. Stanford was hostess on yesterday afternoon to the members of the Wednesday Contract Bridge Club at her home on S. Elm st. Beautiful spring flowers brightened the rooms which were arranged for two tables. The tables and score pads stressed the Geo. Washington motif. Mrs. Ernest Wingfield was a special guest and received a dainty gift. The club favor was won by Mrs. W. H. Hutchinson. At the close of the game the hostess served a tempting sandwich and ice course.

Billy Duckett is spending Thursday in Little Rock on a business trip.

The City P. T. A. will celebrate Founders' Day, with an appropriate program, Friday afternoon at 2:45 o'clock at the Junior High school. Mrs. L. D. Reagan of Little Rock, State President, will be honor guest.

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February 21

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and deliver an address. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. Tully Henry entertained at an attractive spring bridge party yesterday afternoon at her home on S. Pine st. Lovely spring flowers decorated the rooms and bridge, was played at four tables, with Mrs. A. K. Holloway scoring high. After a series of pleasant games, the hostess served a delicious salad plate.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Pearce of Pine Bluff and Mrs. Maud McCauley of St. Louis, Mo., are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Pearce at their home on the Rosston road.

Jail Matron Pictures Prison as Health Resort

CHICAGO.—(U.P.)—The Cook county jail today was pictured as a health resort for most of the 20,000 women who have entered its doors in the past 20 years by Mrs. Mary Kennedy, 55, chief matron during the period.

Regular sleeping and eating habits as well as expert medical treatment have enabled many women to leave the institution in perfect physical condition, Mrs. Kennedy said.

Reviewing the two decades of her supervision, Mrs. Kennedy said she believed that women sentenced to jail terms in recent years, have not been as "tough" as during the early days of her matronship.

Most women held in the jail awaiting trial on murder charges have eventually been freed, Mrs. Kennedy said.

Divorce Should Be Easier

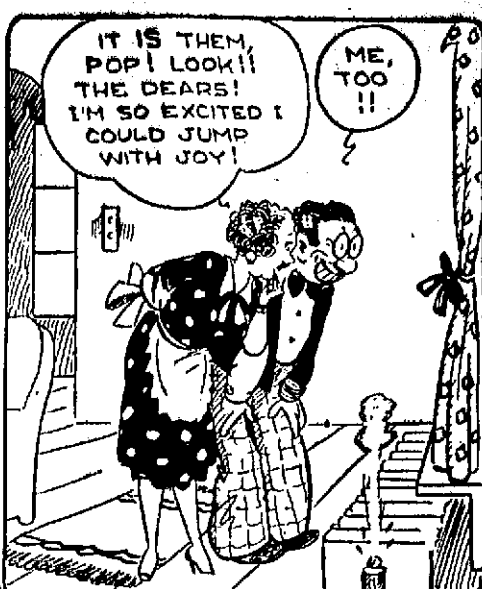
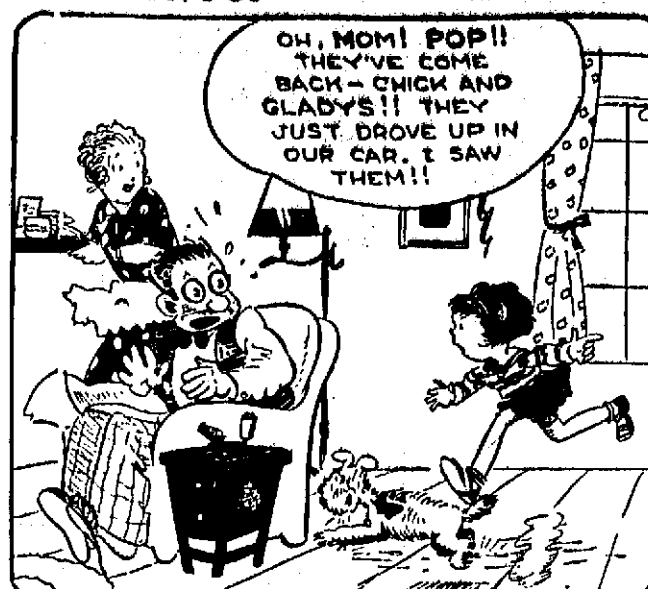
RENO, Nev.—(U.P.)—The trouble with divorce is not the divorce laws

A Snappy Salute From Il Duce



Having been officially apologized to by the United States government for the remarks of General Smedley Butler, Premier Mussolini of Italy is quite himself again, as this characteristic picture, the most recent to reach America, shows. It was taken as the Italian dictator responded to a salute in Stena Square, Rome, where the eighth anniversary of the founding of the Italian militia was being observed.

MOM'N POP



Home Again!



but the lack of marriage laws," in the opinion of A. P. Johnson, assistant district attorney of Washoe county and a divorce lawyer. He says that "it should be made very difficult for unfit persons to be married," and that "marriage laws should be strengthened and divorce made easier."

Licenses All Number Ones

CARSON CITY, Nev.—(U.P.)—The governor of Nevada isn't absent-minded, but if he was, he would still have little difficulty in remembering how to get about, because his telephone number is one, his automobile license number is one, his fishing and hunting license is number one, and he possesses a fishing and hunting license from California number one.

100 Bodies Unclaimed

LINN CREEK, Mo.—(U.P.)—More than a hundred unclaimed bodies have been found in forgotten graves in Linn Creek cemetery. All the bodies are being moved, since the ground will all be under water after Bagnell dam is closed.

\$10,000 Horse



NEA Los Angeles Bureau Here's \$10,000 worth of horseflesh, this champion Arabian steed having been purchased by Philip K. Wright, noted for his Catalina Island, Calif., rancho. The horse's name is Kaaba.

Phosphates to Be Valuable

WASHINGTON.—(U.P.)—Unlimited deposits of phosphate rock in the southern states are expected to be of high value to southern agriculture. Dr. Henry G. Knight, chief of the Bureau of Chemistry and Soils of the Department of Agriculture, recently told a southern farm organization. The south may reap huge benefits from new processes of fertilizer manufacture, he declared.

Iron Ores Object of Study

WASHINGTON.—(U.P.)—The concen-

tration of lake Superior iron ores is the object of a study under way by the U. S. Bureau of Mines. The study is being carried on at the bureau's Mississippi Valley Experimental Station, at Rolla, Mo., in co-operation with the Missouri School of Mines and Metallurgy.

New Process Developed

WASHINGTON.—(U.P.)—The North Central Station of the U. S. Bureau of Mines, in co-operation with the University of Minnesota, has developed a three-step process for making ferromanganese from Minnesota manga-

niferous iron ores. The new process, it is hoped, will enable American producers to compete with imported ferro-grade manganese ore.

Crashes Cost Two Millions

BOSTON.—(U.P.)—Massachusetts residents paid approximately \$2,000,000 in hospital bills last year as a result of non-fatal automobile accidents, according to a report by the governor's committee on street and highway safety.

Wolf and Deer Battle

OCONTO, Wis.—(U.P.)—A battle be-

tween a wolf and a deer in which the latter met death was staged in the back yard of Roland McDowell, farmer near here. McDowell was aroused from sleep and witnessed the fight from a bedroom window. The farm is located in an improved and well settled area.

Arizona Protects Cactus

PHOENIX, Ariz.—(U.P.)—Cactus is plentiful on the deserts of the south-west and that causes many persons to assume that destroying it is all right. But not so in Arizona. It is a misdemeanor here to disturb any native plant, and that includes the thousand

varieties of cactus.

Comfortable Jails Planned For Chinese Criminals

NAN KING.—(U.P.)—Lawbreakers in China are given the prospect of comfortable and most up-to-date prisons. According to plans model prisons are to be established in the very near future. There will be four separate prisons in each province. Besides the general prison, there will be a prison exclusively for juvenile offenders, one for confirmed criminals and another for consumptive or demented prisoners. There is also to be a modern detention house in every province.

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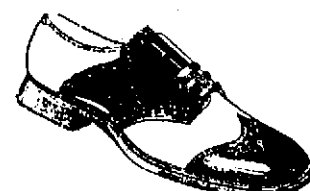
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Excellent Value!

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A revelation . . . in style, quality and price! Every worker will want them for their neatness and durability. In cottonades, as well as napped cotton worsteds.

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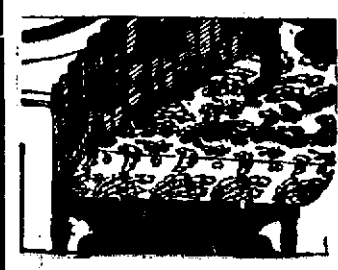
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Check This List of Sewing Notions

Look over your sewing-basket and see what you'll need to stock up on before Spring sewing starts in earnest. You'll find that you'll save here, on each sewing notion!

- Sewing Thread, spool . . . 4c
- Penimaid Spool Silk . . . 6c
- Embroidery Cotton, 2 skeins 4c
- Darning Cotton, ball . . . 4c
- Brass Pins, paper, 4c and 8c
- Safety Pins, bunch of 50, 8c
- Safety Pins, card, 4c and 8c
- Hooks and Eyes, card . . 4c
- Snap Fasteners, card, 4c, 8c
- Needles, paper 4c
- Thimbles, each . . . 4c and 8c
- Scissors, pair . . . 23c and 49c
- Cotton Tape, piece . . . 2c, 4c
- Twill Tape, piece 4c

- Penimaid Bias Tape 8c
- Silk Bias Tape 15c
- Hank Elastic 8c
- 1/4-in. Rayon Elastic, yd. 4c
- 1/2-in. Rayon Elastic, yd. 6c
- 3/4-in. Rayon Elastic, yd. 8c
- 1-in. Lisle Elastic, yd. . . 12c
- Shoulder Strapping, pc. 8c
- Lingerie Braid and Shoulder Strapping, piece . . 8c
- Pearl Buttons, card 4c, 8c
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SPORT PAGE

HOOKS AND SLIDES
by William Braucher

Pitches to Match
THE ball they are going to use in the big leagues this year may be made to knock out of the lot, but it won't be so very hard at Braves' field at that. A screen in right field that made two-baggers of some of Wally Berger's longest hits last year has been ordered removed. Now Wally and Wes Schulmerich, who also drives long ones to right field, probably will rival Hack Wilson.

Tickle, Tickle!
WHATEVER else may be said of Max Baer, the weird young boxer from California, this much seems evident: He has a concrete cuff. When he is smacked on the ear, he laughs. Maybe it's just tickles.

Sharkey Will Be In
It may be a year or more before you read that Jack Sharkey and somebody are going to fight for the world's heavyweight championship, but sooner or later you are going to read it. For, after Schmeling and Stribling get through, and Carner and the winner of that one do their act, there will be another concerted shout for the Silly Sailor.

Push-em-Down Maxie
MAX SCHMELING must be a champion after all. He was used in a New Jersey court the other day for \$25,000 by a young process-server who charges Max beat him down a flight of stairs and who had his pictures taken in his underwear to prove it. Max denies the charge, the young man, down stairs which just makes one wonder if Max is as modest as all that?

Another Struggle
RENE LACOSTE is returning to the tennis wars this year, which

DID YOU KNOW THAT—
ONE of the early Robins is Captain Glenn Wright, who motored to Clearwater, Fla., from his home in Missouri and is frisking about in the balmy breezes. Uncle Robbie will arrive on the scene and begin calling his players by the wrong names about February 22. Bob Meusel probably will play this year in the American Association. Sidney Weil, Reds' prey, has placed him on the market. The Boston Red Sox will wear a red stocking sewed on the sleeve of the new uniform. The Braves will cavort about in red, white and blue outfits. This is an age of amazing machinery, but no one has devised a machine that will sew covers on baseballs. All baseballs are hand-stitched. Of all the paraphernalia used in sports, the baseball is the hardest to make. It must be perfectly round and made from many pieces of matched leather.

makes our tennis people feel very much like the English yachtsmen who have toiled so long trying to win the America's cup. The French are beginning to look upon Davis Cup challengers from America much as Americans regard Sir Thomas Lipton. Good sports, but come, come boys, let's beat 'em again.

The Bold Things!
THE roster of the Chicago Cubs shows that they will play their first practice game Friday, March 13, against the Angels at Los Angeles. The Detroit Tigers will play their first practice game on the same day against San Francisco.

ing of local golfers this month to discuss re-opening plans for the coming season. The course was considerably improved last season, with the installation of new tee-boxes and benches, and if opened this year, considerable more work will be done to put it in good condition.

Football Stars Partners
CHAPEL HILL, N. C.—(U.P.)—The firm of Magnor and Sapp still carries on, despite the fact both ex-football players have graduated from the University of North Carolina here. Odell Sapp and Jim Magnor were teammates in 1928, Sapp is an all-state end

OUT OUR WAY



Columbus Defeats Fouke Team 20-16

Columbus to Enter County Tourney Here Friday and Saturday

The Columbus boys' team defeated Fouke, their arch foe from Miller county, in a spirited basketball game at Ashdown Wednesday night, 20 to 16. Fouke nosed out the Columbus boys for the district championship, at Ashdown a year ago—but the Hempstead county team took its revenge in an exhibition game Wednesday night. Columbus had previously beaten the Hope team in a pair of games played at the Hope armory last month. Columbus will enter the Hempstead county cage tourney, which opens at the local National Guard armory, Friday, and will run through Saturday.

and Magnor is a first year halfback. Now they have entered a low partnership in Chapel Hill. By the toss of a coin, Magnor won the right to have his name painted on the left side of the shingle.

Shafer Will Head Pinehurst Tennis Tourney

PINEHURST, N. C.—(U.P.)—G. Carlton Shafer, Philadelphia, has been named chairman of the committee in charge of the 13th annual United North and South Tennis Tournament to be played on the Pinehurst Country club courts during the week of April 13. Other members of the committee are Miss Marjorie A. Morrill, Boston; Mrs. Dorothy Briggs, Pelham Manor, N. Y.; Donald J. Ross, Little Compton, Mass.; and S. Howard Vossell, Brooklyn. Davis Cup aspirants again will make Pinehurst their spring training quarters.

NEW HOPE
Sunday was our regular meeting day here. There was a good attendance and a fine sermon.

We are glad to know that the little Smith girl can sit up and is able to walk a few steps in her room at the hospital. We are sorry to know that little Carol Allen, Jr., is sick and we hope for him a speedy recovery.

Finch Named For Relays

LAWRENCE, Kan.—(U.P.)—Robert L. Finch of Des Moines, Iowa, was appointed by Dr. F. C. Allen, University of Kansas athletic director, as assistant promoter of the Kansas relays, April 18. Finch, who was alumni secretary of Drake University from 1920 to last spring also was for ten years connected with the promotion of the Drake relays.

Tom Deaton, Former Hope Barber, Dead

Tom Deaton, age 37, a barber, formerly of this city died Tuesday at his home in Pine Bluff. He is survived by his mother, Mrs.

Georgia Deaton of Hope, three brothers, Louis Deaton of Texarkana, Dr. Georgia Deaton of Hope, four brothers of Paris, Texas, Sid Deaton of Pine Bluff, and one sister, Mrs. Benita Boswell of Hope. The funeral was conducted at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon at Pine Bluff with burial there.

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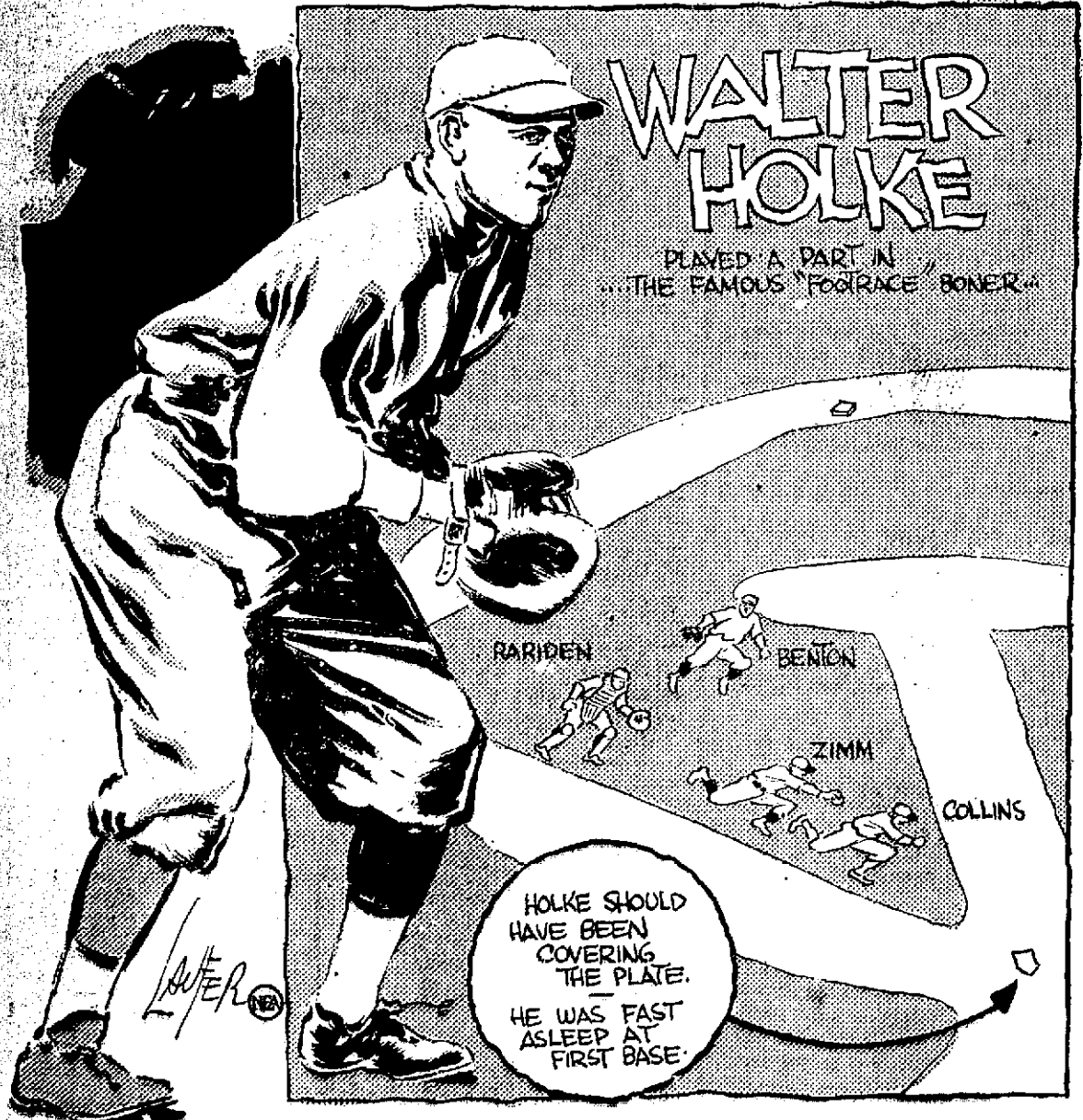
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BASEBALL'S BIGGEST BONERS
THE EDDIE COLLINS-HEINIE ZIMM footrace in the 1917 world series is still a subject of hot stove league discussion. It is unfair, to lay the entire blame on Zimmerman, however, as there was a combination of mental errors on the play. Here is the setting: Eddie Collins was on third when Joe Jackson tapped the ball to Pitcher Rube Benton. Benton whirled and caught Collins off third. A run-down between Zimm, Collins and Catcher Bill Rariden ensued. Collins jockeyed up and down the line until he slipped by Rariden while Zimm was holding the ball. Too late to throw, Zimm chased Collins across the plate with the winning run. First baseman Walter Holke, who should have covered the plate, was fast asleep on first base.

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MIXED Feed	"COUNTRY KING," 100 Per Cent Grain—100 Lbs.	\$2.00
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



Temple to Shelter Nancy Hanks Cabin

Home Where Lincoln's Parents Were Married to Be Preserved

HARRODSBURG, Ky.—Ground has been broken here for a structure of unique design which is to shelter and preserve the ancient log cabin in which the parents of Abraham Lincoln were married. It is planned to lay the corner stone on April 12 and President Hoover has been invited to dedicate the Lincoln "marriage temple" as it has been called, on June 12, the 125th anniversary of the wedding.

The tiny, one-windowed cabin of log is even older than that which Thomas Lincoln built at Cave Spring, south of Hodgenville, in 1808, and in which Abraham Lincoln was born the following winter. Originally it stood on Beech Fork in Washington county. In 1806 it was the home of Richard Berry Sr., a kinsman of Nancy Hanks, and there Thomas Lincoln courted and won Nancy and there she was married.

In order to preserve the crumbling cabin, W. A. Clements of South Bend, Ind., owner of the property, had the

building removed to a plot of ground in Harrodsburg, Ky., which was donated for the purpose by the Harrodsburg Historical Society. Last year Mr. Clements gave the State of Kentucky a clear deed in perpetuity to the cabin. It is not inappropriate that the cabin stands here within the limits of what is now the Pioneer Memorial State Park. Jesse Head, a deacon of the Methodist Episcopal church, who performed the ceremony which united Lincoln's parents, spent his last years here as a newspaper editor and town

ROCKY MOUND

Elde Leroy Samuels of De Ann filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Purdie of Texarkana spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Monte at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Davis and little son of Oklahoma are visiting Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bart Bearden.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fincher of Henry Chapel were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Messer Sunday.

Mr. C. A. Bennet and wife and J. M. Bennet of Sutton isited M. and Mrs. B. M. Hazzard Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Williams visited relatives at Hope the past week.

Miss Beryl Pickard returned home Saturday after a pleasant visit with Miss Orel Crismon of Bodaw.

Miss Birdie East of Bluff Springs spent the week end with Misses Faye and Alice Purdie.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Wright visited relatives near Rosston Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Miller Stuart and little daughter of Green Laster spent Monday night at the bedside of her father, who is ill.

DE ANN

Mr. and Mrs. John Breeding, Mr. Luther Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Landers were in Hope Saturday.

Earl Poole is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ralph Roberts of Battle Field.

Mrs. Walter Cobb of Gage, Okla.,

To Whom It May Concern

We will not be responsible for any debts incurred by our employees on State Highway Job 3116 unless authorized in writing signed by our superintendent, Mr. Clyde Wallen.

Earl W. Baker & Co.

By LEO A. STOKES

COLDS MAY DEVELOP INTO PNEUMONIA

Coughs from colds may lead to serious trouble. You can stop them now with Creomulsion, an emulsified creosote that is pleasant to take. Creomulsion is a medical discovery with two-fold action; it soothes and heals the inflamed membranes and inhibits germ growth.

Of all known drugs creosote is recognized by high medical authorities as one of the greatest healing agencies for coughs from colds and bronchial irritations. Creomulsion contains, in addition to creosote, other healing

elements which soothe and heal the inflamed membranes and stop the irritation, while the creosote goes on to the stomach, is absorbed into the blood, attacks the seat of the trouble and checks the growth of the germs.

Creomulsion is guaranteed satisfactory in the treatment of coughs from colds, bronchitis and minor forms of bronchial irritations, and is excellent for building up the system after colds or flu. Money refunded if not relieved after taking according to directions. Ask your druggist. (adv.)

CREOMULSION FOR THE COUGH FROM COLDS THAT HANG ON

Low Week-End EXCURSION

EVERY SATURDAY MISSOURI PACIFIC LINES EVERY SUNDAY

ONE FARE PLUS 25c FOR ROUND TRIP

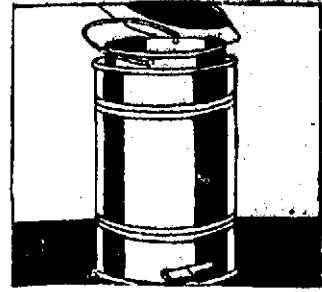
Between points where one way fare is not more than \$7.20.

Tickets honored on all Saturday and Sunday trains. Final limit midnight Monday following date of sale. Good in sleeping or parlor cars upon payment of usual space charges. Half fare for children.

For TICKETS, INFORMATION, See TICKET AGENT



Store Hours On Saturday 8 A. M. To 9 P. M.



FOOT-LEVER GABAGE CAN

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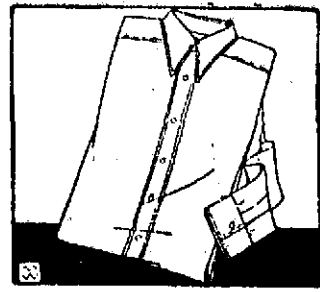
in white, ivory, or green enamel. Removable pail with handle.



Men's Dress Caps

98c

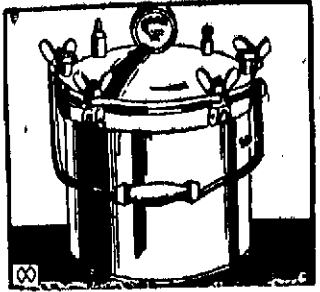
NEW SMART-LOOKING CAPS that every man will want for early spring wear. Assorted grays, tans, and browns. Sizes 6-8 to 7 1/2. Specials for Thrift Days.



Men's Broadcloth

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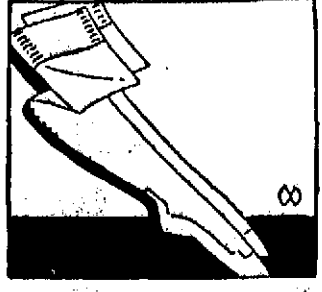
FULL-CUT IN FANCY, BLUE, White or Tan colors. Regular \$2.00 Values.



Pressure Cooker

\$11.98

OF HIGHLY POLISHED cast aluminum. Saves time and fuel. Preserves flavors and nutrients. 10-quart size.



FULL FASHIONED HOSE

\$1.00

popular French heels. Chiffon in permanent dull finish, all silk. Service—silk to hem.

THRIFT DAYS

Friday and Saturday--Two Days of Unusal Values

38th GOLDEN ARROW SPECIAL

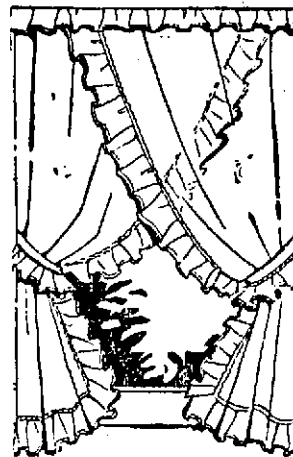
Beginning Friday One Week Only

Colonial Prints 15¢ yd

Weeks of planning—selecting—buying—and NOW, the 38th Golden Arrow offer! A great special purchase of Spring's new COLONIAL PRINTS! For variety of colors and patterns... for firmness of weave... for real quality value—these Prints defy comparison at the Golden Arrow price of ONLY 15c a yard! Note the features at the right!

1. Guaranteed fast colors.
2. Extra fine, firm weave.
3. Full 36-inch width.
4. New Spring designs and colors.
5. Just the material for House Dresses, Aprons, Smocks, children's Frocks, Romper Suits, etc.
6. An exceptional value at 15c a yard.

Curtain Bargains



Set 59c

RUFFLED CROSS CURTAINS of plain marquisette. New style 31 inch cornice ruffle. Hemmed and headed ready to hang on one rod. Each side 29 inches wide.

Turkish Bath Towels Double Loop—Size 22x44 Colored Borders

21c

Famous Long-Wear Sheets—Size 81x90

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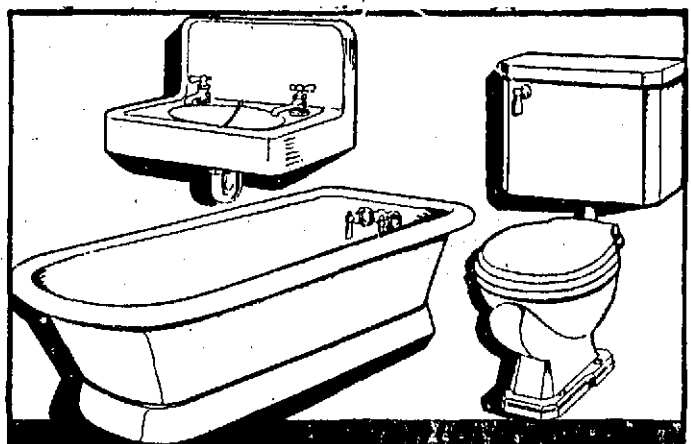
Curtain and Drapery Voil, 39-inches wide

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YARD

High Quality Bed Spreads of Krinkle Design—Size 80x103

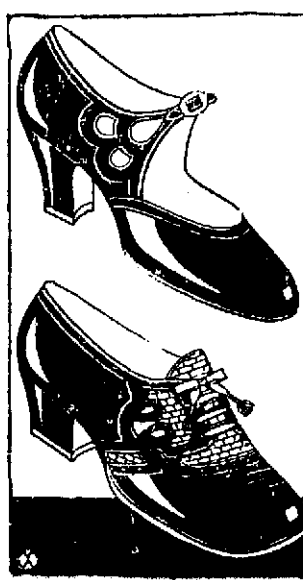
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Guaranteed 3-Piece Bathroom Outfit \$72.95

Pay Only \$1 DOWN

Guaranteed finest quality porcelain enamel. Five-foot base bathtub... square-front lavatory... sanitary closet combination—all with nickel-plated brass fittings. Faucet handles marked "Hot" and "Cold." With lavatory fittings to wall.



Special

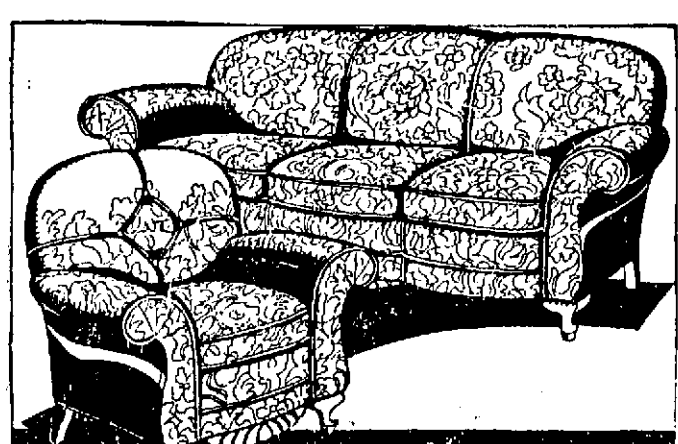
CLEARANCE SALE OF MISSES and WOMENS

Shoes

Values \$2.98 to \$4.98

\$1.98

Friday and Saturday Only.



Thrift Day Special 2-Pc. Suite \$79.95

Pay Only \$1 DOWN

\$2.00 Weekly—Small Carrying Charge

Here's an extra large suite for Thrift Days! The Davenport is oversize—and the Arm Chair extra deep and restful. Both are upholstered in rich Jacquard velour with black cord wadding. Reversible cushions, serpentine fronts, antique mahogany finish frame.

Thrift Day Specials

3-Pc. Bed

Outfit

\$17.85

Style... Quality... and Service... at low prices are confined in this Thrift Day bargain! 45-pound roll-edge Mattress with durable cover... strong platform Spring... and sturdily constructed Metal Bed with decorative panels. Hurry to get yours!



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